



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date October 9, 2007

In re the Application of

Katsuhiro TAKUSHIMA

Group Art Unit: 1746

Application No.: 10/551,135

Examiner: J. RIGGLEMAN

Filed: November 1, 2005

Docket No.: 125509

For: CLEANING METHOD, PARTICLE REMOVING METHOD, CLEANING APPARATUS,
AND CLEANING LIQUID

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired July 9, 2007, an extension of time for a period of three months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 197841 in the amount of \$1,050 in payment for:

<u> </u>	Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$120.00)
<u> </u>	Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$460.00)
<u> x </u>	Extension fee for response within third or subsequent month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$1050.00)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

Respectfully submitted,

James A. Oliff
Registration No. 27,075

Ryan C. Cady
Registration No. 56762 MED1 00000114 10551135

JAO:RCC/amw

01 FC:1253

1050.00 OP

OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC
P.O. Box 19928
Alexandria, Virginia 22320
Telephone: (703) 836-6400

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT USE
AUTHORIZATION
Please grant any extension
necessary for entry;
Charge any fee due to our
Deposit Account No. 15-0461